

## **IN THE CLAIMS**

A copy of the claims as a result of the present amendment is as follows:

1. [Original] A flexible laminate for coating and protection of surfaces, characterized in that it consists on two layers, a lower layer comprised by a non-woven material of saturated polyester with foamed plastisol to generate an adhesive lower surface and the other consisting on a flexible PVC decorative top film, both attached by means of an adhesive.
2. [Original] A flexible laminate for coating and protection of surfaces, according to claim 1, characterized because such flexible PVC decorative film may be engraved, printed, stamped or with a combination of the above.
3. [Original] A flexible laminate for coating and protection of surfaces, according to claim 2, characterized because it comprises a thickness of about 34 or more thousandths of an inch thick.
4. [Original] A flexible laminate for coating and protection of surfaces, according to claim 1, characterized because said foamed plastisol generates a lower irregular surface with spaces covered with foamed material, heterogeneously distributed, and spaces free of foamed material, distributed heterogeneously, providing a greater adherence capability to the surfaces to cover.
5. [Withdrawn]

## **REMARKS**

Responsive to Restrictive Requirement in the Office Action of June 21, 2005, Applicant herewith elects the claims of Group I namely Claims 1-4 directed to a flexible laminate for coating and protection of surfaces. Non-Elected Claim 5 (Group II) has been withdrawn without